

WORD AROUND THE WEBB

Webb Street Weekly Newsletter

Staff Spotlight—Betty Crawford

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Betty Crawford is our Instructional Assistant of the Month. This is Betty's 23rd year here at Webb Street School. She started her career here as a Substitute Bus Driver and was then asked to apply as a Teacher Assistant. Betty grew up in the Gastonia area and attended Holbrook High School and Gaston College. She has been married to her husband, Robert, for 41 years. Betty and Robert have 6 wonderful children and 6 grandchildren. Betty's hobbies include reading and spending time with her grandchildren.

Field Trips

Our Middle School classes enjoyed lunch at Golden Corral yesterday. We have several classes going bowling this week. Ms. Springer, Mr. Elliott, Ms. Neal, and Ms. Hartsoe's class will knock down some pins at Liberty Lanes. Ms. Deal's class will visit the Schiele Museum Monday.

"Many of life's failures are people who did not realize how close they were to success when they gave up."

Pasta for Pennies

Pasta for Pennies is a nationwide fundraiser to help people who are sick with blood cancers like leukemia and lymphoma. Students have been supplied with a coin box to collect money and return it school. The fundraiser started Wednesday, March 4th and will end Tuesday, March 17th. The classroom who raises the most money will win a free lunch at Olive Garden. Let's come together as a school to help others in our community!

Polar Plunge-Freezing for a Reason

The Polar Plunge is a fundraiser that benefits Gaston County Special Olympics. Webb Street will have our very own Polar Plunge Friday, March 6th in our pool! We are excited to announce, as a school, we raised well over the required amount of \$125.00 to support a team at the county event on March 14th at Tailrace Marina at 1000 Marina Village Drive, Mount Holly, NC 28120. So far Mr. Joey, Ms. Betty, and Mr. David are going to represent Webb Street School at that event. Of course, everyone is welcome to come out and support our team. Again, thank you all for supporting Special Olympics!

Run For the Money

Run for the Money is a wonderful opportunity for supporters of Webb Street to donate to our school. It is sponsored by the Community Foundation of Gaston County and will be held Saturday, April 18th at the Rotary Pavilion in Downtown Gastonia. Donations will be accepted now through Friday, April 24th at 5:00 pm. You can also support Webb Street by running or walking in the event. Every donation made in Webb Street School's name will be matched by the Community Foundation!!

